

WHEREAS, June 30, 1951, marked the entry into the state of matrimony at Brodus, Montana of Ardyth and Tom Thoresen; and,

WHEREAS, Ardyth and Tom reside in Blacktail Gulch, Deadwood, South Dakota, next to the site of the first gold strike in the Northern Black Hills in the year 1876; and,

WHEREAS, Ardyth and Tom's family now numbers four: three daughters, LuAnn Blake, LeAnn Thoresen and Robin Thoresen; and Dutchess, the family dog; and,

WHEREAS, Tom is employed with the Lawrence County Highway Department and is an active participant in the local "Days of '76 Committee"; Ardyth is employed with Montana Dakota Utilities and is an active member of the Deadwood Chamber of Commerce; and,

WHEREAS, We in South Dakota are proud and fortunate to have among us such fine couples as Ardyth and Tom; and,

WHEREAS, Wednesday, June 30, 1976, marks the celebration of the Twenty-Fifth Wedding Anniversary of Tom and Ardyth; and,

WHEREAS, This event is worthy of public recognition in the State of South Dakota, and it is fitting and proper that the Governor make note of this special occasion;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 30, 1976, as

TOM AND ARDYTH THORESEN DAY

In South Dakota, and join with their many friends in extending to them best wishes for many more years of health and happiness together.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 30th day of June, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Six


RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

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